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of the

Town of Andover

including reports of

ANDOVER VILLAGE DISTRICT

and

EAST ANDOVER FIRE PRECINCT

for the

Year Ending January 31, 1944

and

Vital Statistics for Year Ending December 31, 1943

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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

Ralph G. Chaffee

REPRESENTATIVE

Victor E. Phelps

SELECTMEN

Henry W. Pillsbury

Ralph G. Chaffee

Fred E. Emerson

TOWN CLERK

Maria A. Chase

TREASURER

Victor E. Phelps

SUPERVISORS

John F. Rivers

*Charles A. Sargent

Harry A. Clark

TAX COLLECTOR

George S. Huntoon

AUDITOR

Murray E. Smith

ROAD AGENTS

J. Dale McLeod, West End

Charles F. Sheldon, East End

POLICE

Ellsworth E. Miller, Chief

FIRE WARDENS

Fred E. Emerson, Warden

Deputies

Victor E. Phelps
Lawrence C. Rising
Henry W. Pillsbury
John Wadleigh, Sr.
Roland W. Burbank
Ralph G. Chaffee

BALLOT INSPECTORS

Ralph B. Buswell (R)
Arthur K. Andrews (D)
J. Albert Baxter (R)
John Wadleigh, Sr. (D)

LIBRARY COMMITTEE

Georgia A. Dodge
Elizabeth M. Putney
Ethel S. Baxter

TRUST FUND TRUSTEES

Alvin S. Hawes
Charles H. Putney
Ernest B. Thompson

HEALTH OFFICER

Willey H. Norton, M. D.

DISTRICT NURSE

Jennie A. York, R. N.

ANDOVER HEALTH ASSOCIATION

Elizabeth Dodge
Cordelia F. Graves
Stella E. Thompson
Bernice H. Powers
Anna B. Woodward
Helen C. Phelps
Emma M. Kilburn

* In military service.

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Andover in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

(L. S.)

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Andover on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same. (Estimate $2,600).

3. To see if the town will vote to have the highway agents elected by the town meeting assume office immediately after being sworn in, instead of April 1st.

4. To raise and appropriate money for highways and bridges under the following items:

a. General town road maintenance (Estimate $4,000).

b. General highway expenses (Estimate $1,000).

c. Town Road Aid ($324.44 to match $1,297.76 from State).

d. Blacktop and calcium chloride (Estimate $2,000).

e. Street lighting (Present contracts $743).

5. To raise and appropriate money for the protection of persons and property under the following items:

a. Police department and tramps (Estimate $100).

b. Fire department (Estimate $250).

c. Payments to precincts for fire protection purposes (Suggest continued $250 appropriation to each).

d. War emergency fund (Suggest $250, or one-half 1943).

6. To raise and appropriate money for the care of the cemeteries. (Suggest same appropriation of $150).

7. To raise and appropriate money for Memorial Day.

8. To raise and appropriate money for the use of the town libraries (Estimate $200).

9. To raise and appropriate money for defraying the expenses of the town health department, including vital statistics (Estimated $1,700 required to maintain nursing service).

10. To raise and appropriate money for taking care of the poor, including old age assistance and soldiers' aid (Estimate $3,500).

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100 for the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

12. To see if the town will vote to create a Capital Reserve Fund for future improvements to the town hall, or for any other purpose, and to raise and appropriate money for same (Legal limit $1,265).

13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400 for the control of White pine blister rust.

14. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

15. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to sell the Ada Rayno farm in the Flaghole District, acquired by the town by non-payment of taxes.

16. To see if the town will vote to continue the present plowing of private driveways until rescinded by future vote of the town.

17. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this fourteenth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-four.

HENRY W. PILLSBURY,

RALPH G. CHAFFEE,

FRED E. EMERSON,

Selectmen of Andover.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HENRY W. PILLSBURY,

RALPH G. CHAFFEE,

FRED E. EMERSON,

Selectmen of Andover.

Note: As the town report goes to press at an early date additional articles may legally be added to the posted warrant up to Feb. 28th, which would not be included in the above.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF ANDOVER

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year February 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944, Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year February 1, 1943 to January 31, 1944.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year, 1943	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year, 1944	Increase	Decrease
FROM STATE:				
Interest and Dividends Tax,	1,411.56	$1,411.56		
Railroad Tax,	1,619.66	1,619.66		
Savings Bank Tax,	658.46	658.46		
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands,	32.37	32.37		
For Fighting Forest Fires,	6.57	6.57		
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:				
Business Licenses and Permits,	10.00	10.00		
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings,	37.50			37.50
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits,	235.61	190.00		45.61
Income from Trust Funds,	50.00	50.00		
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees,	784.13	680.00		104.13
Rental of Property acquired by Tax Deeds,	170.00	200.00	30.00	
Cash on Hand (Surplus)	2,866.35	2,107.50		758.85
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES:				
(a) Poll Taxes,	954.00	900.00		54.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes,	15.00	15.00		
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES,	$8,851.21	$7,881.12	$30.00	$1,009.09
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes,		35,587.91		
TOTAL REVENUES,		$43,469.03		

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year, 1943	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year, 1944	Increase	Decrease
Current Maintenance Expenses:				
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:				
Town Officers' Salaries,	$1,283.92	$1,383.92	$100.00	
Town Officers' Expenses,	542.53	577.37	34.84	
Election and Registration Expenses,	56.00	200.00	144.00	
Tax Property,	240.73	240.73		
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings,	213.71	438.71	225.00	
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:				
Police Department,	43.69	100.00	56.31	
Fire Department,	37.84	250.00	212.16	
War Emergency,	90.73	250.00	159.27	
HEALTH:				
Health Department, including hospitals,	1,499.01	1,700.00	200.99	
Vital Statistics,	22.50	22.50		
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:				
Town Maintenance,	4,125.57	4,000.00		125.57
Street Lighting,	743.00	743.00		
General Expenses of Highway Department,	1,479.34	1,000.00		479.34
Town Road Aid,	375.82	375.82		
Black Top,	1,526.70	2,000.00	473.30	
LIBRARIES:				
Libraries,	250.00	200.00		50.00
PUBLIC WELFARE:				
Town Poor,	1,164.13	1,448.54	284.41	
Old Age Assistance,	1,851.46	2,051.46	200.00	
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:				
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations,	12.00	15.00	3.00	
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:				
Cemeteries,	114.10	150.00	35.90	
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region,	100.00	100.00		
INTEREST:				
On Temporary Loans,	391.25	300.00		91.25
Capital Reserve, Town Hall,		1,265.00	1,265.00	
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:				
County Taxes,	3,427.16	3,427.16		
Payments to Precincts,	500.00	500.00		
Payments to School Districts,	20,020.03	20,729.82	709.79	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES,	$40,111.22	$43,469.03	$4,103.97	$746.16

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Inventory, April 1, 1943

Resident real estate,	$531,140.00
Non-resident real estate,	239,320.00
Electric plants,	430,225.00
62 Horses,	6,400.00
9 Oxen,	860.00
292 Cows,	19,410.00
27 Neat stock,	1,460.00
28 Sheep,	145.00
6 Hogs,	130.00
4425 Fowls,	4,425.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.,	4,760.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks,	3,280.00
Stock in trade,	18,215.00
Mills and machinery	5,300.00
	$1,265,070.00
Exempt to Soldiers and their widows,	$21,400.00

Ratable polls, 435

Tax rate, $26.00

Taxes Assessed in 1943

Town Government,	$2,400.00
Police Department,	100.00
Fire Department:	
(a) General,	250.00
(b) Payments to Precincts,	500.00
Civilian Defense,	500.00
Health Department,	1,400.00

Town Road Maintenance,	4,000.00
Town Road Aid (½ amount voted),	324.12
Blacktop and Calcium Chloride,	2,000.00
Street Lighting:	
(a) White Mountain Power Co.,	635.00
(b) Public Service Co.,	108.00
Libraries,	250.00
Town Poor, Soldiers' Aid and Old Age assistance,	3,700.00
Memorial Day,	15.00
Cemeteries,	150.00
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region,	100.00
Merrimack County Tax,	3,427.16
School Appropriations,	20,020.03
Total Appropriations,	$39,879.31
To this is added an Overlay (so-called) to offset loss of revenue from tax abatements and other sources; which is so calculated in amount as to fix the tax rate at a simple figure of dollars and cents instead of a complex decimal,	$1,246.87
Total amount needed to carry on town and school activities for the fiscal year ending January 31, 1944,	$41,126.18

This necessary operating revenue is provided as follows:

From property taxes,	$32,891.82
From 435 poll taxes,	870.00
From National Bank Stock taxes,	31.00
From other sources (estimated) including interest and dividend, savings bank, and railroad taxes; motor vehicle permit fees, and surplus from preceding year,	7,333.36
Total revenue, same as above total,	$41,126.18

Total committed to Tax Collector George S. Huntoon for collection,	$33,792.82

Selectmen's Summary and Recommendations

At the close of another year's business we are glad to again report a surplus of assets over liabilities of over $2,000, on a tax rate reduced forty cents below last year's figure.

The money appropriated at the 1943 town meeting proved adequate to cover expenditures in all departments except health and highways. The overdraft in the former was due to increased maintenance on the car provided for the nurse; the latter to higher cost of labor and all purchased items. There were enough unexpended balances in other accounts to more than offset these two overdrafts.

Income from taxes in the closing months of the year was higher than usual, and immediately after closing the year's accounts with a balance of $13,767.27 cash on hand, a payment of $3,000 was made on the note held by the First National Bank of Concord, reducing this to $8,000.

In the 1944 warrant and budget we are recommending increased appropriations in some cases, small reductions in others. Revenues from outside sources other than taxes should have nearly reached their bottom levels, but are not expected to show any increase for the coming year. The taxable valuation of the town will probably be slightly lower in 1944, as we can foresee few gains to offset lower trade inventories and standing timber losses. No material increase in the present tax rate seems necessary, however.

Taking up the articles in the 1944 warrant in the order in which they appear, we offer the following suggestions and comment:

Town Government. We suggest an appropriation of $2,600 for the coming year; an increase of $200 over 1943 and $500 more than was actually spent last year. Insurance premiums on town hall and contents are due again next December, the coming primary and fall election mean

added expense, and the proposed change in the method of taxing standing timber will require the assessors to spend more time in taking and recording the 1944 inventory. The latter will be discussed more fully later.

Town Highways. Last year a net total of $5,380.60 was expended on our town roads for general maintenance and snow removal, without any new projects being carried out. Some of this expense however, was incurred in purchasing tractor parts, bridge plank, etc., which are still on hand. Under present conditions there seems little chance that road costs will be any less in 1944.

We believe that $5,000 should be raised and appropriated at the town meeting, and suggest that $4,000 of this amount be for the purpose of covering road agent payrolls and the remaining $1,000 to cover general bills for materials, parts and repairs, new equipment, and so on, under the head of General Highway Expenses.

Town Road Aid was reduced one-half by legislative action, and only one-half of the voted appropriation was raised. This was spent for maintenance, including the cost of applying tar and chloride. The amount for 1944 is $324.44.

Funds raised for blacktop and chloride show a balance of $473.30, as only the cost of these materials was charged to this account. We recommend the continued appropriation of $2,000. The Chase Hill road at East Andover has reached the condition where more than a normal application of tar is required.

Under Article 3 we suggest that the term of office of the highway agents be changed to coincide with that of all other town officers elected by the meeting, to eliminate the present "lame duck" period between the meeting date and April 1st.

Police and Fire Departments. Little was spent under either heading during the past year. Coming expenditures can hardly be much less; may be much more. We can only suggest the same appropriations as in 1943 to meet emergencies as they may arise.

As a matter of interest, Andover's 1943 tramp bill was exactly nothing.

We believe that the $250 payments to precinct fire departments should be continued another year for two reasons: (1) that the precincts may have an adequate reserve on hand to purchase needed replacements of hose and other equipment when this is again available, and (2) that they may be in a position to take advantage of any opportunity which arises to secure at low cost some of the government fire fighting equipment which was allocated to civilian defense. Much of this material may be released to towns and municipalities.

Last year the town raised and appropriated $500 under the heading Civilian Defense. Only two items of expense were charged to this account; fuel for the observation post until it was discontinued last fall, and one-half the cost of clearing up the town dump near Andover Depot, which was shared equally by the Andover Village District.

While there are now no foreseen expenditures for such purposes, our country is still very much at war, and we suggest that $250 be again appropriated for possible emergencies in the same manner that appropriations are made for police and fire protection.

Cemeteries. We are sorry to report that our town cemeteries received only a minimum of attention during the summer of 1943. The grass was mowed but little else was done, due to lack of available labor. At least some grading should be done this year if possible. We recommend a continued $150 appropriation.

Health Department. Since February 9th the town has been without the services of a district nurse. It is very doubtful whether any qualified nurse can be found who will serve at the present salary of $100 a month. If the present set-up is continued it is likely that at least $125 per month will be required for a nurse's salary, or an addition of $300 to our current appropriation.

Some trouble was experienced in keeping the nurse's car in operation during the past year, but we believe that it is now in good running condition.

Town Poor. Costs of old age assistance have continued their slow increase, and the trend seems likely to continue. Direct relief has dropped, and relief of able-bodied persons is out of the picture entirely. We suggest that the relief appropriation be cut another $200 to $3,500.

Capital Reserve Fund. This might also be headed Post War Planning. Chapter 160 of the Session Laws passed by the last legislature provides that towns may legally appropriate and set aside funds for specific purposes for future use during the post war period. Such money would not become a part of general funds but be deposited in a special account, solely for the purpose created. The legal limit of such an appropriation by the Town of Andover would be $1265.

There are many desirable projects for which Andover might create a Capital Reserve Fund, but we believe one of our greatest current needs to be alterations and improvements at our Town Hall. These to include an outside fireproof vault on the west side of the selectmen's office for the adequate housing and protection of town records, a new heating system for the building, and better toilet facilities.

We have placed such a proposal in the town warrant under Article 12. An appropriation of $1,265 this year, and another of like amount in 1945, would defray the greater part of the cost of the project.

Schools. The proposed 1944 school appropriation listed to balance the school budget calls for an increase of slightly more than $700 over 1943. The School Board informs us that a forthcoming grant of aid from the State will more than offset this increase, and that the amount actually to be raised for schools may be somewhat less than last year. The exact amount of such aid is not yet known, and the board could only include the full amount needed to balance the budget at this time.

General. Unless the 1944 valuation of the town shows a greater decrease than now seems apparent, and taking into consideration the probable reduction in the school budget, the prospect for 1944 is that all appropriations

recommended in both the town and school warrants may be made with only a slight increase in the present $2.60 tax rate, and possibly with no increase at all.

In order to provide information for the use of the legislature in drafting new laws to relieve standing timber of its present tax burden, your selectmen are required in making their inventory next April to record separately on their books the value of improved and uninproved land; of *growing wood and timber separately from the land;* of buildings separately assessed, and the other usual subdivisions.

By the same law the owner of merchantable wood and timber is required to report on his inventory blank *his own estimate* of the amount of such property, and the inventory blank this year will be arranged to provide such information.

As stated under Town Government this will require more time on the part of the Selectmen, and more thought on the part of the woodland owners in stating their inventory.

Chapter 201 of the last Session Laws provides for a $5.00 poll tax for 1944 and an indefinite number of years thereafter, to create a fund from which the state will pay a bonus to each New Hampshire war veteran upon discharge from the service. Veterans of the first world war now exempt from poll taxes will pay the additional $3.00 during the term of this law.

Word has just been received that the Merrimack County Budget for 1944 calls for a reduction of more than $800 in Andover's county tax assessment, too late to include in our town budget.

On January 31, 1944 the town books show the lowest amount of uncollected taxes for any year since 1925.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1944

	Net Expenditures*	1943 Appropriations	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
Town Government,	$2,073.91	$2,400.00	$326.09	
Police Department,	43.69	100.00	56.31	
Fire Department,	31.27	250.00	218.73	
Health Department,	1,521.51	1,400.00		$121.51
Town Roads,	5,380.60	4,000.00		1,380.60
Town Road Aid,	373.92	375.02	1.90	
Blacktop,	1,526.70	2,000.00	473.30	
Street Lights,	743.00	743.00		
Cemeteries,	64.10	150.00	85.90	
Libraries,	110.27	250.00	139.73	
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee,	100.00	100.00		
Memorial Day,	12.00	15.00	3.00	
Town Poor,	3,015.59	3,700.00	684.41	
County Tax,	3,427.16	3,427.16		
Civilian Defense,	89.73	500.00	410.27	
	$18,513.45	$19,410.98	$2,399.64	$1,502.11
Net Unexpended Balance,	897.53			897.53
	$19,410.98			$2,399.64

*The figures listed under Net Expenditures for each appropriation represent the total amount spent under that appropriation, less any refunds received which are properly credited back to that account.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Assets

Cash on hand, January 31, 1944,	$13,767.27
Cash in hands of library committee,	139.73
Due from State for bounties of 1943,	109.00
Unexpended balance of TRA account,	7.62
Due from County for January relief,	20.44
Due from Alan K. Thompson, mill rental,	47.50
Due from G. Kate Wadleigh, post office rental,	30.00
Unredeemed taxes from tax sales on account of	
Levy of 1942,	120.40
Levy of 1941,	138.76
Uncollected taxes for 1943,	4,029.62
For 1942,	37.60
For 1941,	23.00
For 1940,	10.35
For 1939,	4.00
Total Assets,	$18,495.29
Grand Total,	$18,485.29

Surplus, January 31, 1944,	$2,107.50

FINANCIAL REPORT

Liabilities

Due School District, 1943 dog licenses,	$281.18
Balance of 1943 appropriation,	4,610.43
Due Andover Village District, for hydrant,	75.00
Due East Andover Fire Precinct, balance of 1942 and 1943 appropriations,	317.05
Due State, unexpended balance TRA account,	1.90
Due Collector of Internal Revenue, January payroll taxes withheld,	27.40
Due Socony Vacuum Oil Co., gas and oil,	64.83
Due First National Bank of Concord, temporary loan due March 14, 1944,*	11,000.00
Total Liabilities,	$16,377.79
Excess of assets over liabilities,	$2,107.50
Grand Total,	$18,485.29

* This note was reduced by $3,000 immediately after settlement.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Receipts

Property taxes, 1943, collected,		$29,135.50
Poll taxes, 1943, collected,		666.00
National Bank Stock taxes,		31.00
Taxes of previous years collected,		5,797.57
Tax sales redeemed,		523.83
From State of New Hampshire:		
Interest and dividend tax,		1,411.56
Railroad tax,		1,619.66
Savings bank tax,		658.46
Gasoline tax refund,		38.81
Refund tax on forest lands, 2 years,		70.24
Fighting forest fires,		6.57
Bounties of 1942,		20.60
Refund of TRA balance,		1.90
From Merrimack County, for support of poor,		471.13
Dog licenses,		333.00
Pool room and revolver permits,		14.50
Interest received on taxes and redemptions,		235.61
Motor vehicle permit fees,		784.13
Temporary loans,		12,500.00
From cemetery trust fund trustees,		50.00
From administrator, Heath estate,		33.24
Andover Village District, printing report,		15.75
East Andover Fire Precinct, printing report,		4.50
Plowing private driveways,		148.00
Rental of roller house,		37.50
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region, printing report,		2.00
First National Bank Concord, interest refund,		31.25
James A. Humphrey, purchase of tax claim,		77.18
Sale of town histories,		10.00
Refund on coal purchase,		1.00
Rentals of property acquired by tax deeds:		
Boston & Maine, water rent,	$150.00	
John Wadleigh, Jr., post office rent,	20.00	
		170.00
Total Receipts from all sources,		$54,900.49
Cash on hand, February 1, 1943,		12,699.83
Grand Total,		$67,570.32

FINANCIAL REPORT

Payments

Town officers' salaries,	$1,283.92
Town officers' expenses,	542.53
Election and registration expenses,	56.00
Expenses town hall and other buildings,	213.71
Administration tax owned properties,	240.73
Police department,	43.69
Fire department,	37.84
Bounties,	109.00
Damage by dogs,	38.20
Health department,	1,499.01
Vital statistics,	22.50
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region,	100.00
Town Road Aid,	375.82
Road agents payrolls,	4,125.57
General highway expenses,	1,479.34
Blacktop and calcium chloride,	1,526.70
Street lighting,	743.00
Libraries,	250.00
Old age assistance,	1,851.46
Town Poor,	1,164.13
County poor,	463.61
Memorial Day flags,	12.00
Civilian defense,	90.73
Cemeteries,	114.10
Taxes bought by town,	470.90
Abatements,	50.65
Temporary loans repaid,	14,000.00
Interest on above loans,	391.25
Merrimack County tax,	3,427.16
East Andover Fire Precinct,	179.50
Andover Village District,	250.00
Andover School District,	18,650.00
Total Payments for all purposes,	$53,803.05

Cash on hand, January 31, 1944,	13,767.27
Grand Total,	$67,570.32

TOWN PROPERTY

The following is a list of real estate owned by the Town through Tax Collector's deeds, showing the present book valuation on each individual property and the net charges listed against it as of January 31, 1944 for all delinquent taxes and costs (except interest accumulated since dates of tax sales), and costs of administration, less all income received therefrom.

	Valuation	Net Cost
Leon J. Andrews, 1 acre land and buildings, Andover Village,	$1,350.00	$558.23
Carroll Conner, 15 acres land on Tucker Mt.,	20.00	5.50
Clifton D. Colby, 16 acres Bachelder land near Power Line,	100.00	75.03
Samuel B. Currier, 100 acres Cilley land near Highland Lake,	800.00	242.96
Winona Dennison, land, mill and water right, East Andover,	2,000.00	394.56
Clara Doherty, land and buildings near West Andover,	100.00	21.15
Fellows & Son, 50 acres woodland near Tucker Mt.,	200.00	72.36
Fred Goings estate, 2 acres land on Andover plains,	30.00	34.38
William Hosmer, 350 acres woodland on Kearsarge Mt.,	900.00	147.30
Nellie Kidder, 37 acres woodland on old Emery Road, East Andover,	200.00	156.64
Stanley Kilburn, 1 acre land near Alpine,	100.00	65.01
Ada Rayno, 65 acre farm in Flaghole District,	1,200.00	218.83
Charles Sanborn, ½ acre land near Potter Place,	25.00	17.71
Frank N. Ward, store building, East Andover,	500.00	613.14

Many of the above parcels of real estate are for sale, and interested parties should contact the Selectmen. Several camp lots are available on the Currier tract at Highland Lake.

No properties were sold during the year, nor were any new ones acquired by default of taxes. The Selectmen will ask that disposal of the Rayno farm in Flaghole be considered by the town meeting.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Town Officers' Salaries

Henry W. Pillsbury, Selectman,	$263.80	
Ralph G. Chaffee, Selectman,	242.50	
Fred E. Emerson, Selectman,	180.00	
Victor E. Phelps, Treasurer,	100.00	
Maria A. Chase, Town Clerk,	35.00	
Auto fees and commissions,	86.30	
George S. Huntoon, Tax Collector:		
Balance 1942 salary,	147.32	
Part payment on 1943 salary,	200.00	
Selling delinquent taxes,	24.00	
Murray E. Smith, Auditor,	5.00	
		$1,283.92

Town Officers' Expenses

Henry W. Pillsbury, auto and misc.,	$34.32	
Ralph G. Chaffee, auto and misc.,	24.49	
Fred E. Emerson, auto and misc.,	21.15	
Victor E. Phelps, postage and supplies,	25.31	
Maria A. Chase, postage and supplies,	27.46	
Towne & Robie, printing town reports,	210.22	
Vira M. Holmes, list of estates,	.70	
Katherine A. Crowley, conveyances,	17.47	
Kearsarge Telephone Co., office phone,	24.45	
Charles S. Stone, postage stamps,	24.50	
Town officers' bonds,	90.00	
Brown & Saltmarsh, office supplies,	37.20	
First National Bank, Concord, service charge,	3.59	
V. L. Fisher & Co., supplies,	1.67	
		$542.53

Election and Registration

Ralph G. Chaffee, Moderator,	$5.00	
Charles A. Sargent, Supervisor,	15.00	
Frederick J. Carter, Supervisor,	12.00	
Harry A. Clark, Supervisor,	12.00	
John F. Rivers, Supervisor,	12.00	
		$56.00

Town Hall and Other Buildings

Andover Village District, water rent,	$7.36	
Charles H. Smith, janitor service,	62.50	
White Mt. Power Co., town hall lights,	18.00	
Henry R. Powers, 5 cords wood,	50.00	
Colin S. Jones, 5 cords slabs,	20.00	
Francis D. Lorden, sawing wood,	27.50	
Paul J. Fenton, trucking wood,	14.87	
John Sturtevant, throwing in wood,	2.93	
Victor E. Phelps, lock,	.75	
A. C. Cochran, supplies,	1.80	
A. W. Frost, insurance E. A. Library,	8.00	
		$213.71

Police

Ellsworth E. Miller, constable services,	$19.85	
Robert K. Stanley, constable services,	16.84	
Bessie Miller, revolver, holster and handcuffs,	7.00	
		$43.69

Fire

East Andover Fire Company, firemen at chimney fire,	$1.50	
Citizens' Fire Company, firemen at Glines fire and 4 chimney fires,	17.75	
N. H. Forestry & Recreation Dept., equipment,	5.46	
Fred E. Emerson, warden's expenses,	13.13	
		$37.84

Bounties

Henry W. Pillsbury, paid out,	$14.00	
Ralph G. Chaffee, paid out,	24.00	
Fred E. Emerson, paid out,	54.50	
Henry R. Powers, Jr., 19 hedgehogs,	9.50	
John Fortune, 9 hedgehogs,	4.50	
Murray E. Smith, 5 hedgehogs,	2.50	
		$109.00

Dog Damage

Joseph Dietsche, poultry killed by Eaton dog,	$38.20

Health Department

Jennie A. York, District Nurse,	1,100.00	
Dr. W. H. Norton, expenses, health officer,	13.41	
Charles S. Stone, insurance on car,	28.01	
Sanborn & Hamp, servicing car,	141.38	
Halcyon Garage, servicing car,	179.41	
Fred's Auto Service, alignment of car,	7.50	
McLeod's Garage, servicing car,	2.50	
Idella K. Farnum, garage rent,	45.00	
A. C. Cochran, supplies,	1.00	
		$1,518.21

Of the above amount $81.00 has been or will be paid to Collector of Internal Revenue.

Vital Statistics

Maria A. Chase, Town Clerk, recording,	$22.50

Civilian Defense

Howard G. Wheeler, coal for Observation Post,	$34.69	
Chas. E. Douphinett, coal for Observation Post,	18.54	
J. Dale McLeod, leveling town dump,	37.50	
		$90.73

Town Road Maintenance

William J. Lorden, West End Payrolls:

Feb. 1 to March 31, 1943

William J. Lorden, truck and labor,	$176.60	
Leland E. Thomas, labor,	50.50	
Fred K. Howe, labor,	39.40	
John E. Lorden, labor,	27.70	
Murray E. Smith, labor,	27.50	
William D. Lorden, labor,	26.00	
Victor H. Phelps, labor,	23.60	
Francis D. Lorden, labor,	7.60	
James Lull, labor,	6.40	
Glenn W. Currier, labor,	5.60	
Olin M. Howlett, sand,	7.50	
Express charges,	1.22	
		$399.62

J. Dale McLeod, West End Payrolls:

April 1, 1943 to Jan. 31, 1944

J. Dale McLeod, truck and snowplow,	$512.50
J. Dale McLeod, labor,	120.70
J. Dale McLeod, parts and express,	21.29
Clement A. Patten, truck hire,	76.80
Clement A. Patten, labor,	27.55
Wayne Harding, truck hire,	19.20
William J. Lorden, truck hire,	9.60
Roy E. Emery, truck hire,	7.20
Roy S. Carlisle, tractor hire,	39.00
Gerald C. Roby, grader hire,	82.50
Joseph B. Huntoon, team hire,	3.50
Charles A. Keniston, labor,	160.80
Clarence Whitcomb, labor,	78.30
John E. Lorden, Jr., labor,	39.00
Henry W. Pillsbury, labor,	38.65
Leon T. Keniston, labor,	36.00
Calvin E. G. Currier, labor,	23.85
Perley Ordway, labor,	22.20
Leland Thomas, labor,	20.70
Warren Page, labor,	18.60

Budd H. Keyser, labor,	18.00	
Horace C. Prescott, labor,	14.40	
Francis D. Lorden, labor,	11.70	
William H. Fisk, labor,	9.90	
John Sturtevant, labor,	9.60	
Clarence Buswell, labor,	9.00	
Clarence Buswell, Jr., labor,	7.65	
Arnold Blumfeldt, labor,	6.75	
Albert A. Lewis, labor,	5.85	
Harold Huntoon, labor,	5.40	
Otis Morey, labor,	4.20	
Woodrow Waldron, labor,	3.60	
Earlfred Perreault, labor,	3.60	
Donal Miller, labor,	1.80	
James Lull, labor,	1.80	
Joseph King, labor,	1.35	
Diamond Littlefield, labor,	.90	
Morton E. Walker, labor and dynamite,	44.00	
R. P. Johnson & Son, lumber,	27.49	
A. C. Cochran, supplies,	15.43	
Olin M. Howlett, gravel,	12.90	
N. H. Explosives Co., brooms,	7.20	
		$1,580.46

Charles F. Sheldon, East End Payrolls:

Charles F. Sheldon, labor and plowing,	$541.31
Budd H. Keyser, labor,	226.05
Merlyn Carlisle, labor,	160.90
Woodrow Waldron, labor,	90.90
Paul Kilburn, labor,	67.35
Earlfred Perreault, labor,	50.90
John P. Jurta, labor,	40.88
John Jediny, Jr., labor,	23.80
Albert Hoyt, labor,	21.65
William Wilson, labor,	12.00
Carl J. Hodge, labor,	9.60
Calvin E. G. Currier, labor,	9.00
James Hersey, labor,	9.45
Bryant Adams, labor,	8.33
Fred Keyser, labor,	8.10
Paul Jurta, Jr., labor,	6.80
Russell Sheldon, labor,	5.60

Edwin Fancy, labor,	5.20	
Samuel B. Currier, labor,	4.95	
Sidney Benner, labor,	4.05	
Hamilton Dolby, labor,	3.15	
James M. Keniston, labor,	2.70	
Lawrence Hoitt, labor,	1.80	
Daniel Jordan, labor,	1.60	
Paul Jurta, Jr., truck and tractor hire,	563.65	
Clement A. Patten, truck and labor,	93.85	
William J. Lorden, truck hire,	9.60	
Leland Miller, truck hire,	8.40	
Roy S. Carlisle, tractor hire,	21.20	
George E. Rayno, team hire,	12.00	
G. Robert Robie, team hire,	8.00	
J. D. McLeod, truck and welding,	22.80	
West C. Newton, gasoline,	18.90	
John Zona, truck, wood and labor,	48.60	
Frank M. Haley, brush cutting,	18.00	
John A. Graves, gravel and labor,	16.20	
Olin M. Howlett, sand and gravel,	7.95	
Elaine Eastman, gravel,	1.50	
Thompson & Hoague Co., bolts,	3.17	
		$2,169.89

General Highway Expense

P. I. Perkins Co., tractor parts,	$336.64
R. C. Hazelton Co., tractor parts,	9.50
Charles S. Stone, insurance on tractors,	54.60
State Highway Garage, sander and parts,	90.08
A. W. Frost, liability insurance,	29.58
Halcyon Garage, gas, oil, service,	144.69
McLeod's Garage, welding and service,	81.56
Gulf Oil Corporation, gas and oil,	67.08
Socony Vacuum Oil Co., gas and oil,	236.73
C. P. Stevens Co., supplies,	28.17

A. C. Cochran, supplies,	7.11	
Hilldreth & Heman, wood for tractor house,	17.50	
White Mt. Power Co., lights tractor house,	24.00	
Roy E. Emery, bridge plank,	36.00	
Ray H. Prince, 7024 ft. bridge plank,	245.89	
Kidder Lumber Co., guard rails,	13.80	
R. P. Johnson & Son, guard rails, etc.,	9.15	
M. E. Walker, dynamite and boiler parts,	14.76	
Lucy Hayward, rental tractor house,	10.00	
		$1,456.84
Total cost of town road maintenance,		$5,606.81
Of the above amount $28.80 has been or will be paid to Collector of Internal Revenue.		
Less gas tax refund, fees for plowing private driveways, and rentals,		224.31
Net cost town road maintenance,		$5,382.50

Blacktop and Chloride

Solvay Sales Corp., 15 tons calcium chloride,	$322.50	
State Highway Dept., 9000 gallons road tar,	1,204.20	
		$1,526.70

Street Lights

White Mt. Power Co.,	$635.00	
Public Service Co. of N. H.,	108.00	
		$743.00

Town Poor

Note: The town and county poor accounts are itemized twice; (a) according to services rendered and commodities furnished, and (b) according to individuals and families aided.

A—By Services Rendered

Merrimack County Farm, board and care,	$365.00	
Dr. W. H. Norton, medical aid,	25.20	
Dr. Frank J. Kropp, medical aid,	4.00	
Thomas Ives, groceries,	129.23	
V. L. Fisher & Co., groceries,	238.16	
Clover Farm Stores, groceries,	26.65	
Ralph B. Buswell, milk,	131.28	
White Mt. Power Co., lights,	23.36	
Victor E. Phelps, repairs,	4.00	
Fred E. Emerson, supplies purchased,	4.25	
Henry R. Powers, 15 cords wood,	150.00	
Merrill Hilldreth, wood,	3.00	
Francis D. Lorden, wood and sawing,	53.25	
William D. George, trucking wood,	3.75	
Paul Jurta, Jr., trucking wood,	3.00	
		$1,164.13

B—By Recipients

Ned Eastman, board at County farm,	$365.00	
Nettie Glines, medical aid, food, lights,	428.00	
Arthur Downes, medical aid, fuel, food,	143.73	
Prudence Swett, food,	26.65	
Bulk wood account, of which part was sold to state cases, and part remains on hand,	200.75	
		$1,164.13

Soldiers' Aid

None during fiscal year 1943-44.

Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire, town's share of 25% of total cost,	$1,851.46
Total expense for relief of town poor of both classes,	$3,015.59

County Poor

A—By Services Rendered

New London Hospital Ass'n, one case,	$70.50	
V. L. Fisher & Co., groceries,	14.17	
Ralph B. Buswell, milk,	138.12	
Dr. William P. Clough, medical care,	25.00	
Dr. William P. Clough, Jr., operation,	50.00	
Lila Wilcox, rent,	156.00	
White Mt. Power Co., lights,	8.82	
Francis D. Lorden, trucking wood,	1.00	
		$463.61

B—By Recipients

Clarence Whitcomb, medical, rent, food,	$398.92	
Frank Parks, milk, groceries,	64.69	
		$463.61

Tax Sale Property Expenses

Dennison mill, East Andover:

A. W. Frost, insurance,	$12.50	
John Wadleigh, Jr., care of pump,	90.00	
Bryant Adams, care of pump,	32.00	
Joseph Perreault, mowing lot,	4.50	
		$139.00

Ward Store building, East Andover:		
Charles S. Stone, insurance,	$16.00	
Leon J. Andrews, house, Andover:		
Joseph King, repairs,	8.55	
		$24.55
Total Expense of Administration,		$163.55

Cemeteries

Calvin E. G. Currier, labor,	$70.20	
Horace E. Prescott, labor,	32.40	
Henry W. Pillsbury, labor,	11.50	
Of this $1.00 was paid to Commissioner of Internal Revenue,		
		$114.10
Less credits from trust funds,		50.00
Net expenditures from appropriation,		$64.10

Miscellaneous

Andover Library Committee, appropriation,	$250.00	
Stewart's, flags for Memorial Day,	12.00	
Taxes bought by the town,	470.90	
Tax abatements,	50.65	
James A. Humphrey, refund on quit claim,	77.18	
First National Bank of Concord:		
Temporary loans repaid,	14,000.00	
Interest on above,	391.25	
State of New Hampshire, TRA appropriation,	375.82	
		$15,627.80

Governmental Divisions

Merrimack County Tax,	$3,427.16	
Andover School District,	18,650.00	
East Andover Fire Precinct,	179.50	
Andover Village District,	250.00	
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region,	100.00	
		$22,606.66

Total Annual Expenditures, including payroll taxes withheld but not due until April 1, 1944,	$53,824.15
Difference between the $27.40 withheld for the month of January 1944 (not yet due) and the $6.30 paid to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for the overlapping taxes withheld in January 1943,	$21.10
Total Annual Expenditures paid by Selectmen's Orders during the fical year,	$53,803.05

HENRY W. PILLSBURY,

RALPH G. CHAFFEE,

FRED E. EMERSON,

Selectmen of Andover.

On the selectmen's 1943 inventory book there were 687 separately assessed items of real estate, owned by 485 different individuals.

REPORT OF MARIA A. CHASE, TOWN CLERK

I hereby submit the following report of cash received for the year 1943:

Dog licenses:

Total number of dogs, 134	
Males, 93 @ $2.00,	$186.00
Females, 21 @ $5.00,	105.00
Spayed females, 20 @ $2.00,	40.00
One kennel: 1 male, 9 females,	20.00
One-half kennel: 4 dogs,	10.00
Male part time (6 months), 1,	1.00
	$362.00
Less refund on license No. 102,	2.00
	$360.00
Less my fee for licensing,	27.00
	$333.00
Automobile tax, 1942-1943, 1 permit,	.50
Automobile tax, 1943, 343 permits,	784.13
Sale of 3 Town Histories,	6.00
	$790.63

I have paid the same to Victor E. Phelps, Treasurer.

MARIA A. CHASE, Town Clerk.

The value of summer properties in Andover is approximately $190,000.

REPORT OF GEORGE S. HUNTOON

TAX COLLECTOR

Warrant for 1943, from Selectmen,	$33,792.82
Added to list and collected,	69.30
	$33,862.12
Total collections on 1943 list,	$29,811.85
Abated by selectmen,	20.65
Uncollected, January 31, 1944,	4,029.62
	$33,862.12
Collections on 1942 list,	231.29
Added to 1942 list and collected,	42.00
Abated by selectmen,	24.00
Bought by town at tax sale,	470.90
Uncollected, January 31, 1944,	37.60
	$5,805.79
Collections on 1941 list,	$27.38
Uncollected, January 31, 1944,	23.00
	$50.38
Collections on 1940 list,	$2.00
Uncollected, January 31, 1944,	10.35
	$12.35
Collections on 1939 list,	none
Abated by selectmen,	$2.00
Uncollected, January 31, 1944,	4.00
	$6.00
Collections on 1938 list,	none
Abated by selectmen,	$4.00
	$4.00

Total of uncollected taxes, January 31, 1944,	$4,104.57
Total of uncollected taxes one year ago,	$5,836.52
Interest collected on overdue taxes and redemptions during year,	$235.61
Tax sales redeemed during the year,	$523.83
Tax sales unredeemed, January 31, 1944,	$259.16

All collections of taxes and interest listed above have been turned over to the Town Treasurer.

GEORGE S. HUNTOON,

Tax Collector.

Andover contributed $872.95 to the New Hampshire 1943 War Chest, as reported by Chairman Robert K. Stanley.

The Andover-Wilmot town line was perambulated by the selectmen in 1943.

REPORT OF VICTOR E. PHELPS

TOWN TREASURER

The Treasurer of the Town of Andover for the year ending January 31, 1944, submits the following report:

Cash on hand, January 31, 1943,	$12,669.83
Received from all sources during year,	54,900.49
Total receipts,	67,570.32
Less Selectmen's orders paid,	53,803.05
Balance on hand, January 31, 1944,	$13,767.27

Liabilities:

Due First National Bank of Concord, Tax Loan due March 14, 1944,	$11,000.00

VICTOR E. PHELPS,

Treasurer.

Andover Observation Post ceased full time operation on Oct. 6, 1943. Proctor Academy Garage deserves credit for the 3,776 hours daylight time covered by Albert J. Sanborn and his assistants.

REPORT OF FRED E. EMERSON

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Andover has been very fortunate during 1943 as regards forest fires, thanks to the splendid cooperation of townspeople and deputies alike. The only fires reported were two or three started by locomotive sparks, which were promptly extinguished without damage.

A welcome addition to our protective service is the group of approximately fifty boys and their five adult leaders, organized and trained at Proctor Academy as a unit of the Forest Fire Fighters' Service. Their leader, Mr. Roland Burbank, has been appointed a Deputy Fire Warden.

Our luck has been good, but the danger from a bad forest fire remains with us. In fact the danger has been increased by the new acres of slash made each week, as our lumber lots are cut off for war purposes. And this with our man-power growing smaller and smaller.

I can only stress again the continued need for *caution* and *more caution* in starting any fires in the open.

Permits *must* be obtained from the warden for all burning when the ground is not covered with snow.

The fire fighting tools and equipment are in good condition and are kept in the two fire stations.

With your continued cooperation may we have another "fireless" year in 1944.

FRED E. EMERSON,

Forest Fire Warden.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Andover on January 31, 1944

Date of Creation	Trust Funds	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Bal. of Income on hand at beginning of year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on hand at end of year
Apr. 16, 1902	Sarah T. Dudley Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	127.61	2%	268.16	7.95	8.00	268.11
Aug. 29, 1902	Piper Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	2%	139.94	4.79	4.00	140.73
Dec. 2, 1902	Philbrick Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	150.00	2%	162.17	6.25	4.00	164.42
Oct. 30, 1905	Downs Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	2%	116.45	4.33	4.00	116.78
June 9, 1906	Phoebe Morgan Cemetery Fund	Merrimack County Savings Bank	125.00	2%	145.07	5.40	4.00	146.47
Oct. 9, 1914	Emeline Huntoon Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	50.00	2%	3.14	1.06		4.20
Apr. 16, 1915	Josiah Emery Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	2%	33.28	2.67	3.00	32.95
May 11, 1915	Mary A. Brown Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	50.00	2%	19.89	1.39	3.00	18.28
Sept. 21, 1915	James G. Mowe Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	125.00	2%	92.79	4.35	4.00	93.14
Dec. 1, 1915	Jane Mitchell Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	25.00	2%	.59	.46		1.05
Apr. 3, 1917	Frank Kilburn and Leroy Bartlett Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	150.00	2%	50.24	4.01	3.00	51.55
July 23, 1919	George H. Haley Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	2%	50.59	3.01	3.00	50.60
Apr. 30, 1921	George W. Stone Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	2%	72.40	3.45	3.00	72.85
July 29, 1924	B. H. Swett Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	2%	33.98	2.67	2.00	34.65
Oct. 21, 1927	Dorothy Weare Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	75.00	2%	14.04	1.78	2.00	13.82
Nov. 5, 1928	Smith D. and Sarah T. Sanborn Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	50.00	2%	2.45	1.04		3.49
Mar. 19, 1929	James F. Flanders Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	2%	13.61	2.26	1.00	14.87
Mar. 19, 1929	Horace S. Clay Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	2%	16.30	2.32	2.00	16.62
May 23, 1929	Ella M. Loverin Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	2%	27.91	2.37	2.00	28.28
Jan. 16, 1932	Thomas Sawyer Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	50.00	2%	4.41	1.08		5.49
July 12, 1932	H. R. Batchelder Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	2%	13.35	2.26	2.00	13.61
Nov. 22, 1934	Frank H. Thompson Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	50.00	2%	3.03	1.06		4.09
June 4, 1936	Caleb Clay, Bailey, Bellamy Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	150.00	2%	15.65	3.30	2.00	16.95
Aug. 17, 1937	Frank and Frances Tucker Cemetery Fund	Franklin Savings Bank	50.00	2%	1.51	1.02		2.53
		Totals	2227.61		1301.25	70.28	56.00	1315.53

REPORT OF ANDOVER TOWN LIBRARIES

A number of very fine books have been placed on the library shelves this year. We are pleased with the reception they have received, but our librarians urge more to take advantage of this fine reading.

Because of illness it was necessary for Mrs. Mabel Buswell, librarian of the Andover Library, to turn over her duties to substitutes for several weeks. A fine spirit of cooperation was shown and we wish to thank those who helped out.

We fully appreciate the tight fuel situation this winter and will do all we can to help conserve, but hope to be able to keep the Andover Library open every week.

At the East Andover Library the interior has been finished and the Governor Bachelder books arranged in the room set apart for them. We wish to express our appreciation to Mr. Fred Scott for cutting a new door to the Bachelder room; also to Mr. Alan Thompson for contributing the door casings.

With the exception of Christmas Eve and Saturday, December 11th, the library has been open to the patrons, and the circulation has kept up its good average of fifty books.

Eighty books, new and used, have been given and thirty-eight new books purchased. Twenty-seven of the eighty books were the gift of our good friend Mr. James Kenney. Magazines have been supplied regularly by patrons and are much appreciated. Twenty-four detective and mystery books were given to the USO last February.

Financial Report of Andover Town Libraries

1943-1944

Receipts

Balance on hand, Feb. 1, 1943,	$120.26
Horace and Mary Clay trust fund,	50.00
Refund on books purchased,	8.13
Interest on Minnie Blake fund, East Andover,	4.02
Interest on L. A. Thompson fund, Andover,	18.81
Town appropriation, from treasurer,	250.00
Total receipts,	$451.22

Expenditures

Charles S. Stone, insurance at Andover,	$59.50
Charles S. Stone, insurance at East Andover,	12.50
National Geographic Society,	3.50
Check books, Franklin National Bank,	2.00
A. W. Frost, insurance at East Andover,	10.00
Juvenile books from Horace and Mary Clay Fund:	
Andover Library,	25.00
East Andover Library,	25.00
Bryant Adams, janitor work,	1.00
Carl H. Merrill, carpenter work on door,	3.00
Marjorie Parks, cleaning, Andover,	2.10
Eldora M. Walker, cleaning, East Andover,	1.93
Arthur K. Andrews, painting and repairing,	10.15
The Personal Book Shop, books,	68.81
Caroline Harlow, substitute librarian,	2.50
Mabel Buswell, librarian,	23.50
Beatrice Andrews, librarian,	26.00
John Proctor Trust, heat and rent, Andover,	35.00
Total expenditures,	$311.49
Balance on hand, January 31, 1944,	$139.73

GEORGIA A. DODGE,

ELIZABETH M. PUTNEY,

ETHEL S. BAXTER,

Trustees.

Report of the Horace and Mary Clay Library Trust Fund, January 31, 1944

Cash on hand, January 31, 1943,	$1,354.07
April 6, 1943, Paid Georgia A. Dodge, Trustee,	50.00
Balance, January 31, 1944,	$1,304.07

Report of the Royal F. Eastman Library Trust Fund, January 31, 1944

Cash on hand, January 31, 1943,	$550.87
Cash on hand, January 31, 1944,	$550.87

Report of the John R. Eastman Library Trust Fund, January 31, 1944

Cash on hand, January 31, 1943,	$550.43
Cash on hand, January 31, 1944,	$550.43

VICTOR E. PHELPS, Treasurer.

REPORT OF MURRAY E. SMITH, TOWN AUDITOR

February 5, 1944.

I have carefully examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector and other town officers, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

MURRAY E. SMITH, Town Auditor.

Andover Roll of Honor

"FOR US THEY SERVE"

John Belcher
Louise Belcher
Sidney Benner
Eugene Burgess, Jr.
Charles J. Buswell
Lee H. Buswell
Willis S. Buswell
Bernard Calley
Elmer A. Clark
Wallace T. Clark
Richard Cochran
Lyman Currier
Samuel Deich
Ernest W. Dodge
Holland L. Dresser
Nathan Eastman
Dexter W. Emery
Rodney K. Emery
Lucille Ernst
Gilbert E. Fortune
James Gilbert
Daniel M. Graves
F. Monroe Haley
Lloyd C. Hall
Theodore E. Hall
Joseph D. Hemstock
Raymond Hersey
Samuel E. Hersey
Claude W. Hill
James A. Humphrey
James M. Keniston, Jr.
Frederick W. Kilburn
Paul D. Kilburn
Bernard Koller
James Laughton
Napoleon W. Lovely
Charles Lyman
Donald A. McDonald
Frank Magoon
Walter L. Merrill
Clayton Miller
Leland G. Miller
Robert Newcomb
William Nixon

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Andover Roll of Honor

"FOR US THEY SERVE"

Walter Odlin
Marjorie Paterson
Robert D. Phelps
Paul W. Pillsbury
Richard A. Powers
Richard Rayno
Kenneth Rayno
John J. Riel
Robert W. Rivers
Ethelind Rounds
George E. Rounds
Donald Russell
Kenneth O. Sanborn
Charles A. Sargent
John Scannell
Horace S. Schnare
Gilman H. Schoolcraft
Paul Scott
Chester Shampney
Leslie Shaw
Chester C. Sheldon
Robert S. Sheldon
Russell Sheldon
Ernest L. Sherman
Wallace E. Smith
Wyman Stetson
Dana Stockbridge
John Sturtevant
Harry Sweenie
James H. Sweenie
Lee W. Swett
Elwood Thompson
John Wadleigh, Jr.
Harry A. Walker
Edward Ward
Gerald K. Webster
Wesley Webster
Charles Wells
Ernest Whedon
Dexter Wheeler
David T. Whittemore
James A. Whittemore
Thomas F. Woodley
Eugene Young

THE DARTMOUTH-LAKE SUNAPEE REGION

The Legislature of 1937 authorized the establishment of six Regions, each comprising a group of towns suggested by the State Planning & Development Commission. The Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region comprises this town and 37 others in this section of the state. The Region is incorporated as a non-profit corporation and its affairs are supervised by a group of officers chosen annually. The Region employs a full time secretary who is *paid by the state* (not by the towns). Thus your Region is a set-up established by law and the matter of whether or not it has sufficient financial support to render real service to your community rests with the voters of the towns. During its existence the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region can point to the following accomplishments. Through the publicity it has issued it has brought visitors to every town, some have established summer homes and others have become permanent residents. It has been instrumental in bringing industries to several towns. It has inaugurated plans that have saved historic landmarks. It has sponsored paying summer attractions. It has been active in bringing about a survey of our mineral resources that has resulted in revenue to many towns and has conducted studies of new agricultural products.

By an appropriation not exceeding 1/100 of 1% of the assessed valuation the Region now asks the support of your town in continuing the program that has brought about the aforementioned results and to institute the following three projects which if carried through must result in added income to each of the 38 towns of the Region. (1) A research of the possibilities of establishing industries that will use as raw materials, minerals within our area and make a study of the feasibility of the production, processing and sale of several agricultural products that in the past have received but little attention. (2) To cooperate with each of the towns in preparing descriptive pamphlets showing the attractions, natural advantages and resources of the community with the idea of eventually incorporating such material into a book descriptive of the whole Region. (3) To establish a system of Recreation Trails following back highways and little used roads leading to scenic areas and desirable locations in each of the 38 towns in the Region.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING ASSOCIATION

REPORT

Nurse:

Jennie A. York, R. N.

Receipts:

Cash on hand, January 1, 1943,	$22.30	
Cash received from Nursing Service,	152.91	
Rummage Sales,	179.90	
Red Cross,	34.50	
		$389.61

Expenses:

Gas,		$82.61	
Telephone,		29.42	
Medical Supplies,		48.02	
File and Equipment,		49.54	
Red Cross:			
Dr. Shaw,	$7.50		
Dr. Lord,	27.00		
		34.50	
Dr. Norton,		6.50	
Dr. Lord,		16.00	
Mary Hitchcock Hospital,		25.75	
Kearsarge Telephone Co. (Old bill),		32.45	
Postage,		4.13	
Cellucotton and gauze,		8.49	
			$337.41
Balance,			$52.20

Deposited in Bank,		30.65
Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1944,		21.55
		$52.20

Amount in bank, Jan. 1, 1943,	$205.07	
Deposited in bank,	30.65	
Dividend,	4.10	
Amount in bank, Jan. 1, 1944,		$239.82

Nursing calls,	1,023
Follow-up or friendly calls,	320
Business calls,	115
School calls,	183
Night calls,	86
Obstetrical cases,	3
	1,730

Hours spent in school,	163½
Hours spent on records,	125
	288½ hrs.

4 trips to Laconia with school children	
20 trips to Franklin	
36 trips to New London	
7 trips to Hanover	
6 trips to Dr. Norton	
3 trips to Concord to Clinics	
1 trip to Manchester	
1 trip to Boscawen	
Total number of trips,	78

All school children were given a complete physical examination by a doctor last year. All who had diphtheria toxoid were given the Schick test and if necessary, given diphtheria toxoid with those who had never had it. Clinics were given for the pre-school children until most of the children have had the toxoid.

Mrs. Price spent one afternoon in Andover examining and giving exercises to children with bad posture. This helped a great deal in many posture problems.

The nurse wishes to thank the Selectmen for their care of the car which was a handicap when she first arrived. Now it is in good working order and reliable.

I wish to express my gratitude to the Nursing Committee for their support and help, the Fish and Game Club and Blackwater Grange for the use of their halls; the Local Chapter of the American Red Cross for financial aid; and the many friends who have helped in the work during a year of much sickness.

My appreciation to all on the teaching staff for their co-operation in the Health Program of the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

JENNIE A. YORK, R. N.

More than 125 persons helped maintain the Observation Post. The five high men for time served are Victor Phelps, Harley Hopkins, Harry Currier, Fletcher Pillsbury and Charles Smith.

Do you own an Andover Town History? The Town Clerk has a supply on hand at $2 each.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the town of Andover, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 14th day of March, 1944, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Andover, this 7th day of February, 1944.

ELLA CARR,

RUTH J. STONE,

CHARLES H. PUTNEY,

School Board.

Note: As the school report goes to the printer some time before the school warrant is posted, additional articles may be included in the warrant before posting.

A new Andover Library is suggested as a post-war project worth consideration.

As this report goes to press Andover has exceeded its quota of $20,000 in the Fourth War Loan Drive, thanks to the efforts of Chairman J. Halsey Gulick of Proctor Academy.

SCHOOL DIRECTORY

(January 1, 1944)

School Board

Ella Carr, Chairman,	Term expires March 1944
Charles H. Putney,	Term expires March 1945
Ruth F. Stone,	Term expires March 1946

District Officers

Ralph G. Chaffee,	Moderator
Victor E. Phelps,	Treasurer
Kate Wadleigh,	Clerk
Murray E. Smith,	Auditor

Superintendent of Schools

George W. Sumner

Office in the Summer Street School Building, rear entrance, Penacook. Office is open on all school days from 8:30 to 12:00 and from 1:15 to 4:30. Saturdays from 9:00 to 11:00. Appointments for conference with the Superintendent can be made through the Clerk, Emma S. McGirr. N. E. Phone 48.

Teachers

George H. Corson, Healmaster, High School.
Mary L. Spencer, High School.
Lorna C. Tibbetts, High School.
Charlotte E. Stewart, High School.
*Randolph L. Harlow, High School, (part time).
Margaret F. Cunningham, Boston Hill.
Adele Glaubit, Cilleyville.
Flora C. Gomo, Dyer's Crossing.
Marie Rising, East Primary.
Elizabeth M. Putney, East Grammar.
Carolyn Harlow, Village Grammar.
Nina Sargent, Village Primary.

Truant Officer

Annie W. Buswell

*Deceased.

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1944-1945

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1944.

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools:

	High Schools	Elementary Schools
Teachers' Salaries,	$8,000.00	$7,935.00
Text Books,	125.00	150.00
Scholars' Supplies,	375.00	300.00
Flags and Appurtenances,	5.00	
Other Expenses of Instruction,	50.00	50.00
Janitor Service,	950.00	360.00
Fuel,	500.00	500.00
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies,	150.00	150.00
Minor Repairs and Expenses,	100.00	200.00
Transportation of Pupils,	50.00	700.00
Other Special Activities,	50.00	10.00
	$10,355.00	$10,355.00
Total,		$20,710.00

Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by District),	$205.00
Truant Officer and School Census (Fixed by District),	27.00
Superintendent's Excess Salary (Fixed by Supervisory Union),	375.00
Per Capita Tax (Report of State Treasurer),	384.00
Payment of District Debt,	1,000.00

Interest on District Debt,	460.00
*Other Obligations imposed by law or established by District,	350.00
	$2,801.00
Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget.	$23,511.00

Estimated Income of District:

Dog Tax (Estimate),	$281.18
High School Tuition Receipts (Estimate),	2,500.00
Deduct Total Estimated Income (not raised by Taxation),	$2,781.18
Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget.	$20,729.82

ELLA CARR,

RUTH F. STONE,

CHARLES H. PUTNEY,

School Board.

Andover, N. H., February 7, 1944.

*This item includes legal obligations such as judgments, orders of State Department of Health on complaint, necessary rent and costs of authorized administration and insurance. Repairs in excess of 5% of the school money, new equipment and major construction must be raised under special articles in the warrant.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

For the Year July 1, 1942 to July 1, 1943

Receipts

Home Economics Aid,	$238.35	
1942-43 Elementary Appropriation,	8,498.00	
1942-43 High School Appropriation,	4,816.00	
1943-44 High School Appropriation,	1,460.00	
District Officers' Salaries,	205.00	
Truant Officer and School Census,	27.00	
Bond Appropriation,	1,540.00	
Per Capita Tax,	434.00	
Superintendent's Excess Salary,	360.00	
Deficit Appropriation,	350.00	
Other Obligations,	250.00	
Dog Tax,	310.00	
Refund,	4.30	
Elementary School Tuition,	15.00	
Danbury School District,	1,545.84	
Wilmot School District,	1,755.03	
Grafton School District,	75.00	
Salisbury School District,	15.83	
Sutton School District,	75.00	
Total Receipts from All Sources,		$21,974.35
Cash on Hand, July 1, 1942,		11.04
Grand Total,		$21,985.39

Expenditures

1. Salaries of District Officers:

Ella Carr,	$50.00	
Ruth F. Stone,	50.00	
Charles H. Putney,	50.00	
Victor E. Phelps,	50.00	
Murray Smith,	5.00	
		$205.00

2. Superintendent's Excess Salary:

Alice Keneval, Union Treasurer,		$379.43

3. Truant Officer and School Census:

R. E. Lane,	$2.20	
Annie W. Buswell,	25.00	
		$27.20

4. Expenses of Administration:

Kearsarge Telephone Co.	$67.71	
First National Bank,	6.61	
V. E. Phelps,	18.25	
Brown and Saltmarsh, Inc.,	7.26	
J. L. Hammett Co.	3.72	
Towne and Robie,	5.85	
A. H. Rice and Co.	4.08	
Penacook School District,	148.81	
		$262.29

5. Principal and Teachers' Salaries (High):

George Corson,	$1,961.60	
Thelma Dearborn,	1,133.20	
Helen Doyle,	110.00	
Elsie Bike,	995.20	
Lorna Tibbetts,	1,033.20	
Betty Collins,	980.70	
Randolph Harlow,	375.00	
Jane Stone,	25.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue,	105.60	
		$6,719.50

5. Principal and Teachers' Salaries (Elem.):

Flora Como,	$864.20
Elizabeth Putney,	939.83
Marie Rising,	363.76
Lillian Davidson,	605.33
Nina Sargent,	930.08
Constance Osgood,	914.20

Gertrude Sullivan,	839.20	
Margaret Cunningham,	839.20	
Mrs. R. L. Harlow,	68.00	
Dorothy Schnare,	25.00	
Adele Glaubit,	14.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue,	75.60	
		$6,478.40

6. Textbooks (High):

Harcourt Brace Co.,	$69.95	
McCormick-Mathers Co.,	28.77	
American Book Co.,	.52	
College Entrance Book Co.,	21.38	
Scott, Foresman Co.,	14.49	
L. W. Singer Co.,	32.11	
World Book Co.,	39.12	
Macmillan Co.,	13.95	
D. C. Heath Co.,	14.70	
J. B. Lippincott Co.,	1.57	
Little, Brown Co.,	1.11	
Burgess Publishing Co.,	4.07	
		$241.74

6. Textbooks (Elem.):

Arlo Publishing Co.,	$7.10
Beckley Cardy Co.,	13.51
Salisbury School District,	8.10
G. B. Putnam's and Sons,	26.34
Harcourt Brace Co.,	11.64
Iroquois Publishing Co.,	11.87
Ginn and Co.,	24.39
Webster Publishing Co.,	17.91
J. B. Lippincott Co.,	15.63
World Book Co.,	12.61
Macmillan Co.,	48.71
Laidlaw Bros.,	24.30
Scott, Foresman Co.,	29.98
Row, Peterson Co.,	4.96
The Bobbs-Merrill Co.,	.78

Hall and McCreary Co.,	9.00	
Noble and Noble,	5.07	
Silver Burdett and Co.,	10.71	
E. E. Babb Co.,	4.93	
O. H. Toothaker,	.96	
		$288.50

7. Scholars' Supplies (High):

Pioneer Office Supply Co.,	$9.22	
A. C. Cochran,	116.10	
McLeod's Garage,	8.80	
V. L. Fisher and Co.	67.95	
Brodhead-Garrett Co.,	156.44	
R. P. Johnson and Son,	88.65	
Iroquois Publishing Co.,	4.95	
Webster Publishing Co.,	.21	
C. P. Stevens Co.,	.97	
N. H. Welding Supply Co.,	47.20	
Ralph H. Smith Co.,	36.00	
Harry G. Emmons,	5.95	
Central Scientific Co.,	5.19	
Harvey & Howe, Inc.,	2.00	
Sanel Auto Parts Co.,	24.00	
		$573.63

7. Scholars' Supplies (Elem.):

J. L. Hammett Co.,	$7.20	
E. E. Babb Co.,	166.79	
Macmillan Co.,	19.29	
Scott, Foresman Co.,	8.61	
Laidlaw Bros.,	1.22	
Constance Osgood,	3.76	
Flora Gomo,	7.02	
		$213.89

8. Flags and Appurtenances (Elem.):

E. E. Babb Co.,	$8.00

9. Other Expenses of Instruction (High):

Thelma Dearborn,	$5.00	
Meredith Publishing Co.,	1.00	
Curtis Publishing Co.,	2.25	
The American Forestry Association,	2.50	
American Book Co.,	7.51	
E. E. Babb Co.,	6.00	
Reader's Digest Association, Inc.,	2.50	
Harvey and Howe, Inc.,	1.66	
Hearst Magazines,	2.25	
The Chemistry Leaflet,	2.00	
Science Digest, Inc.,	2.25	
Life,	3.38	
The American Home,	.75	
Popular Mechanics,	1.88	
Philip Spaulding,	5.00	
Lakeside Publishing Co.,	2.00	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	25.28	
		$73.21

9. Other Expenses of Instruction (Elem.):

Frontier Press Co. of Boston,	$22.65	
Webster Publishing Co.,	2.51	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	2.33	
World Book Co.,	9.80	
		$37.29

10. Janitors' Salaries (High):

Herman Seavey,	$795.20	
Collector of Internal Revenue,	4.80	
		$800.00

10. Janitors' Salaries (Elem.):

Gertrude Sullivan,	$30.00	
Margaret Cunningham,	30.00	
Lena Welch,	30.00	
Charles Smith,	108.00	
W. O. Fish,	18.00	
John Wadleigh, Jr.,	90.00	
		$306.00

11. Fuel (High):

Albert Hoyt,	$60.00	
Leland Thomas,	6.50	
H. G. Wheeler,	346.13	
		$412.63

11. Fuel (Elem.):

H. G. Wheeler,	$197.14	
W. O. Fish,	1.00	
Albert Hoyt,	250.00	
W. J. Miller,	11.00	
James Hersey,	16.00	
Lena Welch,	2.00	
Leland Thomas,	11.20	
F. M. Lull,	4.50	
W. J. Lorden,	2.00	
N. J. Harlan,	.80	
J. E. Emery,	3.00	
John Wadleigh, Jr.,	5.00	
		$503.64

12. Water, Light, and Janitor Supplies (High):

White Mountain Power Co.,	$148.09	
Andover Village District,	20.88	
V. E. Phelps,	3.14	
Procter Gamble Co.,	4.30	
E. E. Babb Co.,	7.20	
Dickerman Co.,	20.25	
Masury Young Co.,	41.75	
Holmerden Co.,	14.70	
V. L. Fisher & Co.,	5.50	
George W. Sumner,	4.30	
		$270.11

12. Water, Light and Janitor Supplies (Elem.):

White Mountain Power Co.,	$66.50
Andover Village District,	13.80
E. E. Babb Co.,	20.73
Dickerman Co.,	20.25
Cheshire Chemical Co.,	9.38

C. H. Putney,	1.41	
State Dept. of Public Welfare,	1.00	
C. P. Stevens Co.,	1.95	
V. L. Fisher and Co.,	5.67	
		$140.69

13. Minor Repairs and Expenses (High):

Emma Seavey,	$33.02	
V. E. Phelps,	10.31	
Olin Howlett,	5.00	
C. P. Stevens Co.,	6.00	
		$54.33

13. Minor Repairs and Expenses (Elem.):

Emma Seavey,	$12.60	
E. I. duPont de Nemours Co.,	8.30	
V. E. Phelps,	116.63	
Leon Keniston,	14.00	
Mrs. Eugene Burgess,	16.35	
H. L. Currier,	16.55	
Lena Welch,	8.40	
I. G. Shaw,	1.00	
W. O. Fish,	23.00	
Emma King,	4.00	
F. M. Lull,	1.50	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	89.28	
C. P. Stevens Co.,	10.89	
M. F. Cunningham,	1.00	
R. P. Johnson and Son,	3.20	
O. H. Sweatt,	3.50	
John Wadleigh, Jr.,	5.50	
The Ford Foundry Co.,	17.85	
E. E. Babb Co.,	5.61	
C. H. Putney,	7.29	
Olin Howlett,	4.35	
A. C. Cochran,	38.36	
		$409.16

14. Medical Inspection (High):

W. H. Norton,		$15.00

15. Transportation (Elem.):

Henry Brown,	$344.00	
George Huntoon,	340.00	
		$684.00

18. Other Special Activities (High):

M. & N. Athletic Co.,	$71.91	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	32.40	
J. E. Lamontagne,	3.60	
Jones Express,	4.96	
George Corson,	25.00	
		$137.87

18. Other Special Activities (Elem.):

C. P. Stevens Co.,		$4.00

19. Tax for Statewide Supervision:

State Treasurer,		$434.00

20. Insurance and Other Fixed Charges:

Charles S. Stone,		$217.50

22. Alteration of Old Buildings:

Charles F. Jones,		$21.50

23. New Equipment:

Ralph H. Smith Co.,	$17.90	
N. H. Welding Supply Co.,	1.02	
V. E. Phelps,	107.82	
Sears Roebuck and Co.,	6.25	
E. E. Babb Co.,	16.40	
Central Scientific Co.,	6.98	
Harry G. Emmons,	5.15	
		$161.52

24. Principal of Debt:

Franklin National Bank,		$1,000.00

25. Interest of Debt:

Franklin National Bank,		$500.00

26. Obligations from Previous Year:

R. P. Johnson and Son,	$69.70	
Scott, Foresman Co.,	1.48	
Russell Sage Foundation,	.20	
N. H. Welding Supply Co.,	14.39	
Ginn and Co.,	22.92	
		$108.69
Total Expenditures,		$21,688.72
Cash on Hand, July 1, 1943,		296.67
Grand Total,		$21,985.39

CHARLES H. PUTNEY,

Clerk of the School Board.

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash on Hand, July 1, 1943,	$296.67	
Home Economics Aid,	336.69	
Total Assets,		$633.36
Excess of Liabilities over Assets,		$12,826.64
Grand Total,		$13,460.00

Liabilities

Bonds Outstanding,	$12,000.00	
Town of Andover, 1943-44 Appropriation,	1,460.00	
Grand Total,		$13,460.00

ELLA CARR,

CHARLES H. PUTNEY,

RUTH F. STONE,

School Board.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

I have carefully examined the accounts of the School Board and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MURRAY E. SMITH, Auditor.

August 16, 1943.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1943

Cash on hand, June 30, 1942,	$11.04
Received from all sources,	21,974.35
Total Receipts,	$21,985.39
Less School Board orders paid,	21,688.72
Balance on hand, June 30, 1943,	$296.67

VICTOR E. PHELPS, Treasurer.

August 16, 1943.

I have carefully examined the accounts of Victor E. Phelps, Treasurer of the School District of Andover, N. H., for the year ending June 30, 1943, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

MURRAY E. SMITH, Auditor.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Pupils not absent or tardy for the school year ending June 30, 1943.

Boston Hill—Emma Burgess, Fred Keyser.

Dyer's Crossing—Eleanor LaPlante, Helen LaPlante.

High—Seba Sargent.

Graduates From Andover High School

Class of 1943

Wendell Avery
Frederick LaJoie
Celenia Lewis
Charlotte Matava
Evelyn Newcomb
Lewis Pinard
Eunice Sargent
Seba Sargent
Leonise Scott
Leslie Shaw
Evelyn Patten

Elementary School Graduates

June, 1943

Shirley E. Crane	Cilleyville
John E. Lorden	Cilleyville
Richard Jordan	Dyer's Crossing
Helen LaPlante	Dyer's Crossing
Joan F. Chaffee	East Andover
Noreen Colby	East Andover
James Graves	East Andover
Mary E. Newcomb	East Andover
David Nystedt	East Andover
Martha Nystedt	East Andover
Dennis Patten	East Andover
Madelyn Thompson	East Andover
Mariella Boyden	Village
Patricia Buswell	Village
Clyde D. Currier,	Village
Shirley R. Sweenie	Village

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Second term of 7 weeks opened	Monday, Jan. 3, 1944
Second term closed	Friday, Feb. 18, 1944
Vacation one week	
Third term of 8 weeks opens	Monday, Feb. 28, 1944
Third term closes	Friday, Apr. 21, 1944
Vacation one week	
Fourth term of 7 weeks opens	Monday, May 1, 1944
Fourth term closes	Friday, June 16, 1944
Summer Vacation	
First term of 15 weeks opens	Tuesday, Sept. 5, 1944
First term closes	Friday, Dec. 15, 1944
Vacation two weeks	
Second term of 7 weeks opens	Tuesday, Jan. 2, 1945
Second term closes	Friday, Feb. 16, 1945
Vacation one week	
Third term of 8 weeks opens	Monday, Feb. 26, 1945
Third term closes	Friday, Apr. 20, 1945
Vacation one week	
Fourth term of 7 weeks opens	Monday, Apr. 30, 1945
Fourth term closes	Friday, June 15, 1945

The schools will be closed on Armistice Day, Thanksgiving Day and the day after, and Memorial Day.

Attendance at the State Teachers' Convention is advised, and at the two Institutes, required. Days spent in attendance at the two Institutes and one day at the State Teachers' Convention will be considered as spent in the service of the District.

The morning session of the elementary schools will be from nine o'clock until twelve o'clock, and the afternoon session from one o'clock until four o'clock. Teachers should arrange their time tables so that the formal work of the day is over at three-thirty, and use the remaining time until four o'clock for individual help.

Elementary teachers should arrive at the school building not later than eight-thirty in the morning, and in cold or inclement weather such pupils as wish should be allowed to enter at eight-thirty. A teacher should be on duty in each building during the noon hour.

No pupil is allowed to enter the first grade for the first time unless he will be six years old on the first day of March following the opening of school in September.

REPORT OF SCHOOL CENSUS

September, 1943

No. of children 5-16 found by enumerator:	
Boys, 97; Girls, 89,	186
No. of these found not to be in school:	
Between 5-16,	10
No. enumerated and found to be in school,	176

No. of children in public schools in the district:	
Total Reg. 222; over 16, 23; 5-16:	199
No. of children in private schools in the district,	2
No. of children living in the district but attending H. S. or Academy outside,	2
No. of children living in the district but attending elementary school outside,	2
Total number of children accounted for in schools,	205
No. of children who live in other towns,	29
Whole number of resident children 5-16,	176

ATTENDANCE TABLE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1943

SCHOOLS	Length of school in weeks	Whole no. different pupils registered			Average Daily Attendance	Average Daily Absence	Average Daily Membership	Per cent of Attendance	No. of cases of Tardiness	No. of visits by Superintendent	No. of visits by School Nurse	No. of visits by School Board	No. of visits by Citizens & Others	No. of pupils not absent or tardy
		Total	Boys	Girls										
Boston Hill	36	12	8	4	11.62	.61	12.23	95.01	2	7	9	2	29	2
Cilleyville	36	11	8	3	10.42	.53	10.95	95.16	1	7	21	2	43	0
Dyer's Crossing	36	19	10	9	16.12	.81	16.93	95.21	18	9	17	2	71	2
East Grammar	36	27	13	14	24.40	2.59	26.99	90.40	30	6	24	2	8	0
East Primary	36	22	12	10	20.39	1.96	22.35	91.23	13	6	24	2	21	0
Village Grammar	36	26	12	14	21.67	3.36	25.03	86.57	65	8	28	3	23	0
Village Primary	36	28	11	17	20.89	3.87	24.76	84.37	19	4	16	1	7	0
High	36	83	38	45	66.17	10.25	76.42	86.58	266	16	27	10	63	1
Entire District	36	228	112	116	190.74	23.81	214.56	88.90	414	63	166	24	236	5

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE EAST ANDOVER FIRE PRECINCT

For the Year Ended January 31, 1944

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash on hand,	$71.25
Balance town and precinct appropriations,	317.05
Total Assets,	$388.30

Liabilities—None

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

Receipts

From town, on appropriations,	$179.50
From town, fire outside precinct,	1.50
Total Receipts,	$181.00
Cash on hand at beginning of year,	125.07
Grand Total,	$306.07

Payments

Firemen at Tilton fire,	$1.50
N. H. Firemen's Association,	16.16
Insurance premiums,	29.28
Rent of Garage,	35.00
Rent of Hall for annual meeting,	1.00
Precinct report, 1942,	4.50
Oil for heater in station,	51.59
Maintenance of equipment,	25.03
Miscellaneous,	3.00
Insulation of garage,	63.10
Total Payments,	$234.82
Cash on hand at end of year,	71.25
Grand Total,	$306.07

Schedule of Precinct Property

Chevrolet Chassis, equipped with portable pumper, booster tank, hose, ladders, reel, etc.,	$900.00

CHARLES H. PUTNEY,

Treasurer.

ANDOVER VILLAGE DISTRICT

Report of Etta Currier, Treasurer, for the Year Ending

February 1, 1944

Water Rents

1943

Feb.	1,	Cash on hand,	$423.65
	8,	William Clapp,	5.51
		James Lull,	15.80
	14,	Leon Keniston,	4.00
		Howard Wheeler,	24.93
	19,	Alma Allen,	6.18
		Ella Carr,	22.00
	27,	Fred Roby,	25.00
		White Mt. Power Co.,	3.00
Mar.	22,	Victor E. Phelps,	3.00
May	3,	Alma Allen,	4.10
	29,	John Sanborn,	5.06
June	23,	Fred Howe,	7.87
July	1,	Oscar Swett,	3.68
	2,	Charles E. Stevens,	7.24
		Harry Currier,	7.24
		Dorothy Dunn,	7.25
		Howard Wheeler,	18.31
		Victor E. Phelps,	14.82
		E. B. Harrison,	7.24
		Kearsarge Lodge, No. 81,	5.40
		E. C. Perkins Est.,	5.06
	3,	Stuart MacKenzie,	39.98
		Fred Emerson,	7.24
		Gladys MacPhee,	7.24
		Proctor Block,	10.81
	5,	Chester Glaubit,	9.89
		William Clapp,	6.09
		V. L. Fisher & Co.,	8.51
		Andover Town Hall,	3.68
	6,	Fletcher Pillsbury,	7.24

		Clara M. Currier,	8.51
		R. L. Harlow,	8.51
		L. Hassler Einzig,	3.63
		Proctor Academy,	135.92
	7,	Hattie B. Cole,	3.63
	8,	Alice Pillsbury,	3.63
		John Rivers,	5.00
		Mrs. Fred Chase,	7.24
		Lila Wilcox,	14.48
	9,	Clarence Buswell,	3.68
		L. P. Carr,	7.24
		Harry Keniston,	9.08
		James Sweenie,	7.24
	10,	Oscar Couture,	8.74
		C. F. Jones,	7.24
		Bertha Quimby,	14.48
		Hattie B. Cole,	3.63
		Idella K. Farnum,	7.24
		Robert Stanley,	7.24
		James Humphrey,	7.25
		Rev. Sidney Willis,	10.87
		May P. Smith,	7.14
		B. & M. R. R.,	6.67
		Lizzie Elkins,	7.24
		Mary Maxson,	7.24
		White Mt. Power Co.,	6.00
		Lillian Ward,	5.92
	17,	Mrs. T. W. Ford,	2.00
		J. Albert Baxter,	16.05
		Alma Allen,	4.10
		Proctor Garage,	6.69
	19,	Leon Scott,	5.87
		William Bixby,	3.94
	21,	Leon Keniston,	4.00
		C. E. Currier,	7.87
	29,	Andover High School,	10.44
		Andover School District,	6.90
	30,	Clarence Stetson,	4.00
		Glenn Currier,	4.02
Aug.	2,	James Lull,	15.74
	11,	M. A. Schoolcraft,	7.24
	16,	Alma Allen,	3.94
	31,	Martin McDonald,	18.87
Sept.	4,	George Rounds,	7.50

		Reginald Laxton,	1.00
		Frederick Gray,	11.81
Oct.	5,	John Rivers,	3.32
	14,	Blackwater Grange,	9.50
	16,	James Humphrey,	65.15
Nov.	12,	Emma Seavey,	4.00
Dec.	5,	Town of Andover,	250.00
	10,	Victor E. Phelps,	10.00
	28,	Fred Howe,	7.87
	30,	Ella Carr,	25.00

1944

Jan.	15,	Fletcher Pillsbury,	7.24
		Stuart MacKenzie,	7.24
		Chester Glaubit,	9.89
		Charles E. Stevens,	7.24
		Lizzie Elkins,	7.24
		Idella K. Farnum,	7.24
		Mary Maxson,	7.24
		Sanborn & Hamp,	6.67
		Victor Phelps,	14.82
		Kearsarge Lodge, No. 81,	5.40
		Unitarian Church Society,	7.24
		Andover Town Hall,	3.68
	17,	J. Albert Baxter,	7.24
		Dorothy Dunn,	7.24
		Fred Emerson,	7.24
		Gladys MacPhee,	7.24
		Oscar Couture,	8.74
		Clara M. Currier,	8.51
		Harry Currier,	7.24
		Clarence Stetson,	3.68
	18,	Blackwater Grange,	8.74
		C. E. Currier,	7.24
		R. L. Harlow,	8.51
	19,	Lila Wilcox,	14.49
		Rev. Sidney Willis,	7.24
		William Clapp,	9.89
		E. C. Perkins Est.,	5.06
		Proctor Academy,	135.92
		Mrs. T. W. Ford,	1.84
		E. B. Harrison,	7.24
		L. Hassler Einzig,	7.25

	Mrs. Fred Chase,	7.24
	May P. Smith,	7.24
	Goldie Lorden,	1.84
20,	William Bixby,	7.24
	George Rounds,	3.45
	Hattie B. Cole,	3.63
	Alice Pillsbury,	7.24
	L. P. Carr,	7.24
	Proctor Block,	10.81
	Glenn Currier,	4.02
21,	Bertha Quimby,	7.24
24,	Clarence Buswell,	3.68
	Harry Keniston,	7.24
	James Sweenie,	7.24
	V. L. Fisher & Co.,	8.51
25,	Frederick Gray,	7.24
	Robert Stanley,	7.24
	Julia Allen,	3.68
	Leon Scott,	2.70
	B. & M. R. R.,	6.67
	M. A. Schoolcraft,	7.24
31,	Leon Keniston,	4.00
	Howard Wheeler,	18.63
	John Rivers,	4.37
		$2,085.85

Disbursements

1943		
Feb. 10,	Charles S. Stone, insurance on Hame shop, klaxon and store house,	$96.20
13,	Charles S. Stone, insurance on fire house,	35.00
	Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for January,	.98
Mar. 3,	Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for February,	.35
12,	Franklin Nat'l Bank, $50.00 on note and interest,	54.50
Apr. 17,	Victor E. Phelps, firemen's salary to March 1, 1943,	80.00
	Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for March,	.15
May. 3,	White Mt. Power Co., lights and klaxon, Feb., Mar. and Apr.,	17.47
	Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for April,	.14
13,	A. C. Cochran, labor and supplies,	54.98
	Town of Andover, for printing report in Town Report,	15.75
29,	White Mt. Power Co., lights and klaxon for May,	4.83
	Envelopes,	2.72
June 1,	Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for May,	.14
12,	Franklin Nat'l Bank, interest on note of $300.00 for three months,	4.50
July 8,	Union Trust Co., note of $300.00 and interest,	333.75
	Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for June,	.36
	Fred Emerson, labor,	7.20
	William Lorden, labor and use of truck at dam,	7.50
19,	Sanborn & Hamp, Inc., tire inspection and 5 gals. gas,	1.65
Aug. 4,	Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for July,	.51
18,	White Mt. Power Co., lights and klaxon for June and July,	6.96

Sept.	8,	Victor E. Phelps, labor, supplies and cash paid,	52.89
	10,	Franklin Nat'l Bank, $100.00 on note and interest,	103.00
	22,	White Mt. Power Co., lights and klaxon for August,	3.66
		Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for August,	.65
Oct.	1,	Victor E. Phelps, firemen's salary to September 1,	80.00
		Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for September,	.55
Nov.	1,	Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for October,	.39
	17,	Dale McLeod, cleaning up dump,	37.50
	20,	White Mt. Power Co., lights and klaxon for Sept. and Oct.,	7.20
Dec.	1,	Aubrey G. Robinson, insurance on firemen,	19.00
		Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for November,	.18
	6,	Victor E. Phelps, labor, supplies and one ton coal,	45.90
		S. E. Stevens, printing water rent books,	3.60
		Franklin Nat'l Bank, note in full,	200.00
	29,	Charles E. Douphinett, 2,018 lbs. coal,	11.89
		Envelopes,	2.72

1944

Jan.	1,	Franklin Nat'l Bank, service charge for December,	.32
	13,	Harry Currier, digging up water pipe and shoveling out hydrants,	4.00
	14,	Sanborn & Hamp, Inc., battery and charging battery,	17.95
		White Mt. Power Co., lights and klaxon for Nov. and Dec.,	6.00
	21,	Charles S. Stone, insurance on fire truck, mica buildings and bonding,	84.72
	28,	Union Trust Co., interest on note,	28.13

30, Mrs. Frederick Gray, change,	.63
S. E. Stevens, printing water rent book for 1943,	3.60
Glenn Currier, labor at intake and dam,	5.50
Howard Wheeler, 2,865 lbs. coal,	20.77
White Mt. Power Co., lights and klaxon for January,	3.00
Victor E. Phelps, supplies and labor,	20.49
Etta Currier, Treas., salary and supplies for 1943,	56.67
	$1,546.55
Bal. in Nat'l Bank,	471.12
Cash on hand,	68.18
	$2,085.85

Summary

Uncollected Water Rents

One year,	$157.44
Two years,	76.09
Over two years,	442.88
	$676.41

Assets

Amount in Savings Banks,	$20.49
Balance in Nat'l Bank,	471.12
Cash on hand,	68.18
Uncollected water rents,	676.41
Town of Andover, 1 hydrant,	75.00
Total Assets,	$1,290.71

Liabilities

Two $100.00 Bonds,	$200.00
Note, Union Trust Co., U. S. Hame Shop,	1,500.00
Total Liabilities,	$1,700.00
Total Liabilities over Assets,	$409.29

I have carefully examined the books and accounts of the Treasurer of the Andover Village Precinct, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MURRAY E. SMITH, Auditor.

Vital Statistics

VITAL STATISTICS

TO THE SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF Andover: In compliance with an Act of the Legislature, passed June Session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the records of births, marriages and deaths to the town officers for publication in the annual report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of the Child (if any)	Sex and Condition: Male	Sex and Condition: Female	Sex and Condition: Living or Stillborn	No. of Child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 17	2	Patricia Mary	..			6		John Jurta, Jr.	Molly F. Macica		2	Logging	New York, N. Y.	Czechoslovakia
Jan. 18	1	Jenness D. McLeod, Jr.	..			4		Jenness Dale McLeod	Marion M. Keniston		1	Garage owner	Lincoln	Andover
Mar. 21	3	Bessie Jane		..		3		Walter W. Sleeper	Aline A. Corliss		3	None	Andover	Nashua
Apr. 27	4	Carolyn Elizabeth		..		1		Francis W. Janes	Thelma E. Harding		3	Forester	Warren, Pa.	Franklin
May 7	1	Dwight Proctor	..			2		Horace S. Schnare	Dorothy S. Smith		3	School teacher	Hyde Park, Mass.	Andover
May 7	4	Richard Elliott	..			2		Arthur A. Elliott	Irene Emerson		1	Laborer	Wilton	Franklin
May 10	3	Emily E. Taylor		..	Living	9	White	Harry H. Taylor	Elizabeth Keniston	White	3	Forestry work	Salisbury	Andover
May 31	1	Caroline Elizabeth		..		6		Paul A. Nystedt	Rosalind E. Ott		2	Lathe hand	Bridgeport, Conn.	Springfield, Mass.
June 3	1	Sharon Gay		..		3		Donald R. Miller	Marjorie T. Calley		2	Truck driver	Andover	East Andover
July 30	1	Arthur F. Rounds	..			2		George E. Rounds	Katherine E. Heath		3	U. S. Coast Guard	Andover, Mass.	Grafton
Aug. 26	1	James William	..			4		Ralph I. Maxwell	Ellen E. Street		2	Clerk	Ossining, N. Y.	Durham, Me.
Oct. 5	3	Gloria Louise		..		2		John R. Woods	Louise A. Dubois		3	Farming	Detroit, Mich.	Canton, Mass.
Oct. 6	4	Sibley Holland	..			1			Phyllis E. Weed					Potter Place
Oct. 16	5	Forrest Clifton	..			6		Roger H. Rollins	Beatrice R. Hill		2	Lumberman	Grafton	Bristol
Oct. 25	6	Esther Ruth		..		1		James S. Stafford	Eunice M. Casey		2	Farmer	Franklin	Laconia
Nov. 27	1	Robert Roy	..			4		Lawrence E. Hoitt	Evangie M. Goodspeed		2	Guard, Power Co.	Franklin	Andover

Place of Birth: 1, Potter Place 2, Franklin 3, Andover 4, New London 5, Lebanon 6, Laconia

Residence of Parents: 1, Potter Place 2 East Andover 3, Andover

MARRIAGES

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Condition, No.	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
June 15	Franklin	Elwood L. Thompson	Andover	23	White	U. S. Army	Franklin	Andrew L. Thompson	North Sutton	Mason	1	Rev. A. A. Richards
		Dorothy K. Moynihan	Hardwick, Vt.	24		At. home	Franklin	Floda S. Thurber	East Andover	Housekeeper	1	Franklin
								Timothy Moynihan	Derry, Vt.	State Ptr'lm'n	1	
								Harriet Hunioon	Franklin	Housewife		
								Albert Heman	Canada	Retired		
Aug. 7	Franklin	Arthur Wm. Heman	Andover	59		R.R. maint'nce	Penacook	Nellie Perreault	Brandon, Vt.	Housewife	2	Rev. N. O. Bowlby
		Bernice Tuck'r Heath	Andover	50		Laborer	East Andover	Wanton Tucker	Danbury	Laborer	2	Franklin
								Carrie Wescott	Danbury			
								Samuel H. Young	Howland, Me	Woodsman		
Aug. 16	Franklin	Eugene Sam'l Young	Andover	18		Truck driver	Dover, Me.	Beulah Welch	Howland, Me.	Housewife	1	Rev. N. O. Bowlby
		Wanda L. Hooper	Andover	17		At home	Henniker	Alexander Fleury	Bristol	Woodsman	1	Franklin
								Carmen Patch	Henniker	Housewife		
								Chas W. Shortle	Wentworth	Merchant		
Oct. 21	Potter Place	Walter Chas. Shortle	Laconia	33		Chemist	Laconia	Mary E. Clough	Wentworth	At home	2	Rev. O. H. Munroe
		Merna Reed	Potter Place	25		At home	Byron, Me.	Wellington S. Reed	Byron, Me.	Inn Keeper	1	Franklin
								Grace Reed	Mexico, Me.	At home		
								John B. Hopps	Calais, Me.	Stone cutter		
Dec. 8	Concord	Ralph J. Hopps	Concord	48		Barber	North Conway	Maude V. Boyce	Penacook	Housewife	3	Rev. D. W. Nicely
		Lena May Russell	Potter Place	54		Housework	Danbury	Lorenzo Keith	Alexandria	Farmer	2	Concord
								Emma Simons	N. H.	Housewife		

DEATHS

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age: Years	Age: Months	Age: Days	Place of Birth	Sex, Condit'n: Male	Sex, Condit'n: Female	Sex, Condit'n: Color	Sex, Condit'n: Single, Married, Widowed	Occupation	Place of Birth: Father	Place of Birth: Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 1	1	Nellie Heman	87	4	16	Brandon, Vt.	..		White	3	Housewife	Canada		John Perrault	
Jan. 12	1	Dennis E. Fenton	63	7		Andover	..			2	Farmer	Ireland	Ireland	Patrick E. Fenton	Cath'rine Sullivan
Feb. 6	2	Henry F. Stetson	95	7	2	Orford	..			3	Farmer	Orford		Daniel Stetson	Mary J. Hooper
Feb. 23	2	William J. Miller	48	10	15	Mt. V'r'n, N. Y.	..			2	Trucking	Canada	Canada	John Miller	Matilda Burnham
Feb. 27	2	Frank R. Jewett	1	9	12	Varm'uth, Me.	..			1		N.Y'm'uth, Me.	Andover	Noah Jewett	Irene Haley
Feb. 28	1	James F. Fellows	87	5	2	Salisbury	..			3	Lumberman	Salisbury	Salisbury	James F. Fellows	Jane Stevens
Mar. 30	1	William W. Powers	50	8	26	Danbury	..			2	Railroad man	Springfield	Springfield	Albert Powers	Ida May Heath
July 16	1	Norman E. Weeks	53	10	11	E. P'tch'e, N.Y.	..			2	Engineer	E.P'tch'e, N.Y.	E.P'tch'e, N.Y.	George F. Weeks	Coulalia King
Sept. 4	1	Lennie M. Stevens	79	11	19	Wilmot		..		2	Housekeeping	Wilmot	Epsom	Augustus Phelps	Jennie Foss
Oct. 23	1	Thelma H. Patten	25	10	15	Franklin		..		1	Housework	Alexandria	Danbury	Harold W Patten	Florence Tenney
Oct. 28	1	Albert L. Keniston	82	1	4	Andover	..			2	Farmer	England	Wilmot	George Keniston	Nancy Atwood

Place of Death: 1, Andover 2, E. Andover

Condition 1, Single 2, Married 3, Widowed

BODIES BROUGHT TO ANDOVER FOR BURIAL

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex. Condit'n				Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days		Male	Female	Color	Single, Married, Widowed		Father	Mother		
Feb. 20	Concord	Susan Ann Messer	79	9	26	Wilmot		..		3	Housewife	Wilmot	Wilmot	William M. Parker	Adelia Chase
Mar. 30	Danbury	Ella Jane Ordway	89	2	29	Wilmot		..		3	Housewife	Wilmot	Wilmot	John D. Durgin	Polly Moody
May 7	Concord	Viletta L. Morey	82	2	15	Marlow		..		3	Housewife			Albert Martin	Maria L. Martin
May 10	New London	Dana Young	61	6	15	Sunapee	..			2	Hotel keeper	Sunapee	Newport	Wilbur A. Young	Margaret Pike
May 11	Boscawen	Alvira Clark	63	0	9	M'ns'vill', Que.	..			3		Canada	Canada	Horace Blanchard	Mary Able
June 4	Franklin	Alice Fifield	73	7	1	Franklin		..	White	3	Housewife	Salisbury	Franklin	William Pearson	Mary J. Hancock
Aug. 5	Hanover	Nellie May George	55	6	26			..							
Aug. 18	Danbury	William E. Currier	75	2	21	Danbury	..			2	Farming	Wilmot	Danbury	Hiram M. Currier	Clarissa Wilkins
Oct. 16	Concord	Floda McKeage	82	7	4	Canada		..		3	Housewife	Canada	Canada	Robert Thurber	Cordelia Perry
Nov. 13	Manchester	Fred E. Bryant	75	7	22		..								
Nov. 18	Concord	Henry Weymouth	52			Lyme	..			1				Geo. Weymouth	Minnie Morgan
Dec. 28	Sutton	Frank Rayno	76	1	3	Andover	..			2	Farmer	Canada	Canada	Oliver Rayno	Eliza Auger
Dec. 31	Rye	Wilmer C. Baker	77		27	Andover	..			3	Retired	N. H.	N. H.	Charles Baker	Caroline Dow

Condition; 1, Single 2, Married 3, Widowed

Births, 16 Marriages 5 Deaths, 11. Bodies Brought for burial, 13.

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MARIA A. CHASE, Town Clerk.